THE COMANCHE CHIEF

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BAPTIST ASSOCIATION NEXT WEEK

Three County Schools Opened Monday; Some To Operate Lunch Rooms; Early Purchases Urged

Three Comanche County schools —Sidney, Gustine, and Soda Springs, were the first schools in the county to open, beginning their term August 16. Three other schools opened last Monday—Hasse, Proctor, and Oliver Springs.

Four schools are due to open Monday—Comyn, Duster, Lamkin and Sipe Springs. The bulk of the remainder of the schools including Comanche and De Leon will open Monday, September 6.

County Superintendent Dale Howard makes the following announcements concerning the county schools:

The Sidney, Gustine, and Soda Springs schools began their new scholastic year August 16th with approximately 100% enrollment. The boys and girls were very anxious to start the new term and begin work. Absence of the larger boys about school was very noticable. The superintendents of each school emphasized clearly the obligation of the boys and girls at home to attend school every day and in that way do their part in enjoying the freedom in this country, for which our boys away from home are fighting. They were reminded that were they living in foreign countries, probably the privilege of attending school would not be enjoyed, if allowed.

It is early for schools to open their term, however many schools find it necessary to close down for three or four weeks during the harvest period, therefore it is a distinct advantage to operate six weeks or a month before dismissing for harvest. Since the labor situation is so grave, the school children must help gather the crops which is of primary importance. Conditions are no more unfavorable for schooling at this time of the year than they would be should the schools begin after harvest and their term continue into the summer months.

School Lunch Program

The Food Distribution Administration announces that it will provide some assistance to schools which are able to operate an adequate lunch program. The money appropriated for the School Lunch Program is to be spent entirely for food, and the assistance which the FDA provides will be in the form of reimbursement to the schools for local purchases of food at a fixed rate per meal according to the type of meal served. All schools that plan to operate the lunch program, please notify this office and we will begin the necessary steps.

Rural Aid Applications

The rural aid applications have just arrived from the State Department of Education. Superintendents of the independent school districts that receive rural aid may get their applications at anytime. Heads of schools that are under the jurisdiction of the county school office may look over these applications when in the office; however they are not required to file their application individually. Schools will receive their aid on the same basis for this scholastic year as for the last.

School Fund Balance

The county superintendents and superintendents of rural aid schools are in receipt of a letter from Dr. L. A. Woods, State Superintendent, regarding the balance in the school accounts. Trustees are urged to purchase any necessary supplies and equipment for their school with the money left over that it will not be charged against their school when this year's grant of rural aid is made. Such purchase of fuel, etc., is urged to be made before August 31st and warrants issued in sufficient time for them to reach the depository bank before the last day of August. In the applications for aid for 1943-44, the Deputy State Superintendent must sign to this effect. This is the first time a statement has been sent out by the State Superintendent regarding balances in the school accounts.

Mrs. Ernestine Arthur Gets Degree At DBC

Mrs. Ernestine Arthur, head of the County Welfare Department here, had conferred on her the Bachelor of Science degree at Daniel Baker College Monday night. She also received a permanent teacher's certificate.

Mrs. Arthur did her work by correspondence, extension, and residence, covering a period of several years while she was working full time at welfare duties.

Home On Leave



Everett Breedlove, gunners mate 1st class of the United States Navy, is home on a thirty day survivor's leave, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Breedlove in the White Point community.

Breedlove, who joined the Navy soon after his graduation from Comanche High School in 1940, was in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, on December 7, 1941, when the Japs made their treacherous attack against this U. S. Naval and Air Base.

"Things were plenty hot there when the Japs came over," says Breedlove." But where I've been, action seems to stay quite warm all the time."

"I was serving aboard a destroyer, the U.S.S. Jarvis, and we were in the harbor on December 7," he continues. "We weren't hit, but many ships along side of us were."

Breedlove has been in seven Naval major engagements against the Japanese, all in the Solomons sector and the Kula Gulf.

"I was in the big Kula Gulf battle in early July," the big, tall, and modest Comanche County gunner says. "And the destroyer which I was serving on, the U.S.S. Strong, went down on July 4, after playing a big part in routing the Jap fleet."

"I was uninjured, and just had to stay in the gulf for a few minutes, before being picked up by another Naval craft," he continues.

"Made it back to the States on August 10, and got a thirty day survivor's leave, my first leave of any kind in the two and one-half years since I've been in the Navy," he concludes.

Court House News

Marriages Recorded

Earl Vernon Bingham and Miss Vesta Melrose Hoover were married in Comanche Aug. 19 by County Judge H. H. Lockridge.

Dorris William Chapman, Brownwood and Miss Billie Ruth Watkins were married Aug. 18 by Rev. W. A. Irvin.

Olen J. B. Hodge and Miss Irma Dean Harrison were married Aug. 14 by Rev. T. J. Sparkman, pastor De Leon Baptist Church.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cook, Dublin, Route 1, July 7, a son, Aven J.

Deeds Recorded

Dr. J. O. Lane to D. O. Reese, 4 acres of the John Duncan Survey in the City of Comanche. Consideration $1850.

Dillie Towrey to H. C. Brock, 20 acres of the J. H. Whisenant Survey. Consideration $200.

W. S. Glover to John W. Jones, part of Block 19, Heath Addition of De Leon. Consideration $75.00.

J. D. May to C. C. Shankle, 181.5 acres of the John Forsythe Survey. Consideration $5,266.15.

F. J. Luckie to Troy Dutton, one-half interest in 342 acres of the Nan Rector Survey and 58 acres of the East Texas Railway Survey. Consideration $2000.

H. C. Fountain to Mrs. Lorna Grace Lucksinger, 168 acres of the East Texas Railway Survey. Consideration $1800.

Mrs. S. G. Parks to J. M. Blankenship, part of Block 33, De Leon. Consideration $1,954.05.

J. L. Stagner to Guy Hutchins, 8.2 acres of the Epps D. Payne Survey. Consideration $600.00.

A. B. Keeler to J. V. Carter, Jr., 70.6 acres of the W. N. Wilson Survey. Consideration $1,586.50.

Legion Is Taking Cigarette Orders For Overseas Men

The Rector Cunningham Post of the American Legion at Comanche, for a limited time only, can send a carton of cigarettes to any overseas service man for sixty-five cents. The Legion has contacted a large manufacturer of cigarettes, and they have agreed to wrap, pack, address, and mail by parcel post a carton of 200 cigarettes to every boy in uniform, who is stationed outside of the Continental United States for only 65c per carton.

This carton will be of a special Christmas design. They also will mail by parcel post, a carton of cigarettes to any Army camp in the United States for $1.20 per carton.

A Christmas greeting card will be inserted into each carton going to the boys from Comanche County telling them of the respect and admiration their families, neighbors, and members of the American Legion here at home have for them, knowing they will enjoy the smokes, and also letting them know that the folks from Comanche County are proud of the grand job they are doing.

The Legion is now taking orders for these cigarettes; and any person who wants to mail a carton to an overeas soldier, sailor or marine; can bring the 65c per carton to The Chief, or to J. B. Allcorn's office in Comanche.

The maximum amount of cigarettes that can be sent to any one service man is five cartons. Last date of shipping these cigarettes is October 1, and Legion officials explain that the sooner the orders come in, the easier they will be to handle.

"This is your chance to get your soldier son, brother, husband, or friend, cigarettes; and included in the package is the name of the sender," say local Legionnaires.

The Legion extends the privilege to every person and particularly to the parents, and relatives of every boy in the Service from Comanche County, the opportunity to buy him one or five cartons, and the Legion will handle the details.

Ruth Howell To Graduate Saturday At TSCW In Denton

Miss Ruth Elizabeth Howell, of Proctor, a graduate student at Texas State College for Women, Denton, is a candidate for a Bachelor of Science in Library Science degree to be conferred Aug. 28 at graduation exercises in the college main auditorium.

Dr. L. H. Hubbard, president of the college and traditional summer commencement speaker, will address the class of 130 graduates.

Miss Howell formerly attended John Tarleton College, Texas U. and Hardin-Simmons.

Missing In Action



—Photo Courtesy De Leon Free Press

Flight Officer Joe E. Boswell, 25, son of Mrs. Clara Boswell of De Leon, has been reported as missing in action, after a bombing expedition in the Balkans. Flight Officer Boswell was believed to have been in on the bombing of the Ploestic Oil Fields in Rumania, recently in which Germany's chief source of oil and other petroleum products was practically demolished.

Cleghorn Elected To Head Oliver Springs Conservation Area

A meeting was held at Oliver Springs Friday of last week to discuss the Upper Leon Soil Conservation District operations. L. V. Cleghorn was elected by the group to represent the Oliver Springs conversation area.

The Oliver Springs Conservation Area was approved for planning by the District Board of Supervisors. The following farms are included in the Area: H. O. Bailey, A. P. Fleming, Lonnie Park, O. C. Reid, R. W. Hampton, L. V. Cleghorn, G. W. Pinson, Roy Parker, E. P. Gregory, Floyd Sorley, E. K. Miears, Whit Russell, J. M. Wilcox, C. C. Setzler, and H. Parker.

At this meeting the Soil Conservation Service Representative assigned to the District discussed the District operations and assistance available through the District program to the farmers in duly organized conservation groups. Planning of the Oliver Springs Conservation Area will begin next week.

Cpl. James Young Graduated From Army School

Cpl. James E. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Young of Gustine, has recently been graduated from an Army Air Forces Technical Training Command School in Detroit, Michigan, where he successfully completed an intensive course of instruction as an aircraft technician.

Need of Quick Movement Of Scrap Iron To Foundries Is Pointed Out; Drive Price Up

A dangerously low stockpile of scrap iron at many of the nation's foundries is causing concern at government quarters over the necessity of keeping scrap shipments up to needed quantities despite the slow movement of scrap.

Scrap iron official state that undue optimism over our recent victories is felt to be one of the principle causes of the let-down, despite the fact that the hardest fighting still lies ahead, and only by keeping our armed forces supplied with a constant stream of the armaments they need can we win the war in the shortest time possible with the smallest minimum of casualties.

In Comanche County, some may be still holding scrap that they could bring to town. This is believed to be due to the advertising in the early part of April that they army would soon move in and conscript iron. At that time the army was working an adjacent county and authorities of the War Board here had been notified that Comanche County was next on the list. But for some indefinite reason, plans were changed and the army has not as yet moved in, nor is it known at this time just when it will.

Sol Hoffman, official dealer for Comanche County, states that his firm is faced with the necessity for meeting quotas assigned to it for shipment. The Hoffman Iron & Metal Co. covers three counties with headquarters at Dublin, Comanche, and Gatesville. During the past month or so, quotas have been met mostly out of the Gatesville territory while Comanche and Erath Counties were resting up from recent drives. However, the time has come again, Mr. Hoffman says, to inform the people of the urgency of the situation, and ask them to make greater efforts from now on out to keep scrap moving into town, instead of waiting for someone else to come and pick it up.

As an added incentive to assist farmers to bring in the scrap that has accumulated since the last drive, Mr. Hoffman is increasing the price an added 5c per hundred during the rest of August. This will make it 35c cwt., which he says should amply pay farmers for their trouble, as well as provide them with an opportunity to do something that will really help win the war.

For further details of this drive see Hoffman's advertisement on another page of this issue.

Comanche Schools To Open Sept. 6th

School opens for all grades Monday morning, September 6 at nine o'clock, according to an announcement from W. Z. Compton, superintendent of the Comanche Public Schools.

Registration for high school pupils will be the week before school opens. The registration schedule follows:

Seniors, Tuesday morning, August 31 beginning at nine o'clock.

Juniors, Wednesday morning, Sept. 1 beginning at nine o'clock.

Sophomores, Thursday morning, Sept. 2 beginning at nine o'clock.

Freshmen, Friday morning, September 3 beginning at nine o'clock.

If it is impossible for a student to register in the morning of the designated day for the class they may come in the afternoon. By all means all students should register during the week, in order that plenty of time may be given to each pupil's schedule. Books will be issued and lokers will be assigned during registration.

The faculty is not complete as yet but is expected to be complete before the opening date of school. Faculty members are:

High School

W. Z. Compton, superintendent; E. L. Curb, principal; Nettie Burt, Charlene McMeans, Hattie Brightman, Minnie Klingman, Nola Sue Crabb, Mrs. Homer Palmer, Jewell Werner(Edna Harris, Mrs. Virgil Chaffin.

Grammar School

D. R. Holliday, principal; Mrs. D. R. Holliday, Mrs. L. R. Williams, Mrs. C. B. Williams, Mrs. Dovia Froh, Nobia Dunn, Marguerite Ross, Bulah Stark.

West Ward

Dorous Brown, principal; Eva Johnson Adams, Berta Goodson, Ollie Sloan, Berta Kelley, Agnes Graham, Golden Jones.

Men Get Petty Officer Ratings

According to Chief Petty Officer Tom O. Gaston of the Abilene Navy Recruiting Station the following Comanche County men have secured petty officer ratings in the Navy, and will be assigned to the Seabees immediately upon induction:

Chester Franklin Carouth, Fireman 1st class, Blanket; Garland R. Tetens, Fireman 1st class, Blanket; Homer E. Stephens, Fireman 1st class, De Leon; Doyle E. Nowlin, Carpenters Mate 3C, De Leon; and Frank C. Nowlin, Fireman 1st class, De Leon.

Gustine Sergeant Writes From Sicily

Sgt. Robert W. McGinnis, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. M. McGinnis of Big Lake, formerly of Gustine, and who is with the invasion forces in Sicily, wrote this week, asking a charge in his address on his copy of The Comanche Chief.

Sgt. McGinnis' letter follows:

Somewhere in Sicily

The Comanche Chief,
Comanche, Texas.
Gentlemen:

I would appreciate you changing my address of the Chief, because I don't want to miss a single copy. It's a great enjoyment over here, and about the only one. There have been a few copies that I have missed, but guess they will eventually show up; get most of them pretty regular.

This country over here is nothing but a mass of destruction. Most of the inhabitants are suffering from starvation. The U.S.A. will look good to all us soldiers when this is over.

Sincerely
Sgt. Welton McGinnis.

PVT. TOM EVRIDGE NOW A PARATROOPER

Pvt. Tom Evridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Evridge of Comanche, recently transferred from the ground crew of the Air Corps, to the paratroop infantry.

Pvt. Evridge left last week from Salt Lake City, where he has been stationed, for Fort Benning, Georgia, where he will begin his training as a paratrooper.

L. T. COKER GETS ARMY PROMOTION

L. T. Coker, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coker of Comanche, has recently been promoted to a Technical Sergeant. Sgt. Coker is on maneuvers in Louisiana, and is in the signal corps.

Mrs. W. D. O'Dell left Wednesday for Garland where she will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Sixty-Ninth Annual Session To Convene At Lake Eanes Thursday Night For Remainder of Week

The sixty-ninth annual session of the Comanche Baptist Association, largest religious gathering in the county, will convene at the Lake Eanes tabernacle next Thursday night at 8:30 for a session that is scheduled to continue through Sunday night according to Rev. T. N. Carter, Moderator. Rev. Carter said that no services would be held at the eleven o'clock hour Sunday so that the pastors might have services in their own church at that time, but services would be held again Sunday afternoon and night.

Rev. E. G. Gregory, Jr., pastor of the First Baptist Church of Comanche, is chairman of the program committee and is arranging good programs for the occasion, Rev. Carter states.

The following invitation and letter of instruction which already has been released by the moderator, is given here again this week, in the hope that everything will be in readiness when the association convenes, says Rev. Carter:

"We are expecting a great crowd, and a good time, as in the past.

"We hope that the good women will bring cakes, pies, salads, and vegetables. The clerk tells me that he has sent out letters to all of the churches.

"If for any reason, you have failed to get one, drop a card to D. E. Nabers, Comanche, Route 1. Be sure to look after your Maintenance Fund.

"It is estimated that it will cost some $300 to take care of the Minutes, Maintenance, and the different parts of the work. The committees are working out the details of the program.

"All communities will please have their reports ready; so that we can go right on with our work.

The program for Thursday night beginning at 8 o'clock as announced by Rev. Gregory follows:

8:00 Devotional, Rev. Floyd Porter.

8:20 Call for regular and pettionary letters.

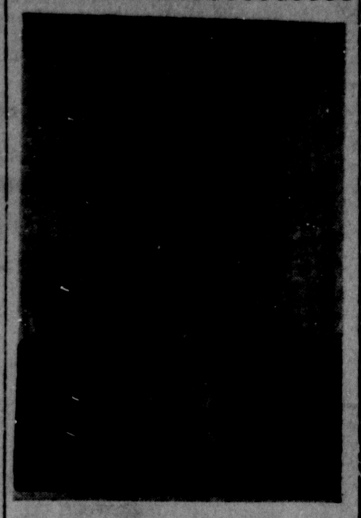
8:45 Special Music, De Leon Baptist Church.

8:50 Annual Sermon, Dr. J. R. Hickerson, District Missionary.

The remainder of the program which will be carried in next Friday's paper includes programs beginning at 10 a.m., 1:45 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Friday; and Saturday at 10 a.m. with no afternoon session, but a program again that night beginning at 8 o'clock.

There will be no Sunday morning services, but all churches will be asked to come Sunday afternoon and bring lunch and stay for the evening services. Dr. T. C. Gardner of Dallas will speak at both sessions Sunday.

Gets Promotion



Hubert Eoff, son of Mrs. C. H. Eoff, of Comanche has recently been promoted to a seaman first class. He graduated this week from a special Mechanics Maintainance School at San Diego, where he is stationed.

S1/c Eoff, captain of the 1942 Indians football team, was an outstanding football and basketball player here. He graduated from Comanche High School at mid-term in January, 1943, and joined the Navy a few weeks after his graduation.

Dove Season To Open Wednesday

The dove season for the North Zone of Texas which includes Comanche County will open Wednesday, September 1 and will close October 12.

The shooting hours are from one half hour before sunrise to sunset.

The bag limit for the mourning dove is not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.

Shot guns must not be larger than 10 guage and must be permanently plugged to three shell capacity.

First Bale Of Cotton Ginned Here Tuesday

A. J. Sliger, who lives four miles east of Comanche, brought in Comanche County's first bale of 1943 cotton. The cotton was ginned here Tuesday morning at Rauhut's Gin.

The cotton was grown on the Tom Sliger farm. Mr. Sliger has nine acres of cotton this year, and expects to get two other large bales from his patch.

Herman Rauhut bought the cotton at 20c per pound. It was a 516 pound bale, and brought $103.20 for the lint alone. Sale of the 1454 pounds of cotton seed brought in another $21.07.

The Comanche Chamber of Commerce presented Mr. Sliger with a check of $15.00, as an extra award for having the first bale of this year's cotton. The bale was ginned free, and the free ginning, bagging, and ties, on a bale of this size would amount to $7.44, says Herman Rauhut of the Rauhut Gin.

MARCUS O'DELL IS MADE SERGEANT

Marcus S. O'Dell, United States Army Air Corps, was promoted to the rank of sergeant, effective the 15th of August, according to word received here from Tulsa, Oklahoma, where he is stationed.

Sergeant O'Dell has been in the Air Corps for about nine months. He was first stationed at San Angelo. He was made a corporal about three months after reaching Tulsa.

Sgt. O'Dell, son of Mrs. W. D. O'Dell of Comanche, is a 1939 graduate of Comanche High School, where he was an outstanding member of the school band.

COL. MOORE TO VISIT MOTHER IN COMANCHE

Lieutenant Colonel Ike Moore of Baltimore will arrive here this week to visit his mother, Mrs. C. M. Moore.

Col. Moore has been in St. Louis the past several days meeting with other Army officers in a conference.

New Majestic Theatre

FRIDAY
Gail Patrick And
George Saunders
—in—
"QUIET PLEASE, MURDER"

SATURDAY MATINEE
Roy Rogers
—in—
"SILVER SPURS"

SATURDAY NIGHT
Rosalind Russell And
Fred MacMurray
—in—
"FLIGHT FOR FREEDOM"

MONDAY and TUESDAY
Robert Preston And
Ellen Drew
—in—
"NIGHT PLANE FROM CHUNGKING"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Betty Grable And
George Montgomery
—in—
"CONEY ISLAND"
Filmed In Technicolor

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In speaking of its anniversary, the Hico News Review says, "The management of The News Review is beset by many difficulties that have caused hundreds of dailies and weeklies throughout America to suspend publication."

"Our problems, however," adds the Hico paper, "are mere trifles in contrast to the heroic sacrifice, the courage, and unequaled valor which are being exhibited by the [illegible] sons of Hico in the armed forces throughout the world, and if they can carry on we will do our best."

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One of the visitors at the Comanche Methodist Church Homecoming and Dedication Week recently was Rev. W. Yeargin Switzer, son of the late "Uncle Cape" Switzer, and a cousin of our fellow townsman, Sam Switzer.

Rev. Switzer is now pastor of the Sayre, Oklahoma Methodist Church and has been an ordained minister for about 40 years and served for four years as a presiding elder in Oklahoma.

Mr. Switzer's brother, John, established the De Leon Free Press in 1890 and Yeargin, himself, in his early days was a printer, having learned to set type in The Chief plant.

"In a letter received recently by The Chief, Rev. Switzer says, "I cannot tell you how much I enjoyed my visit to Comanche, the scenes of my childhood and youth.

"Though I have not lived in Comanche for more than 40 years, I still think of that town as my home. To renew the scenes of other days and meet old friends and to make new ones was a delight indeed.

"I am enclosing herewith a draft of some of the things I said in my talk of reminiscences during the homecoming, all in a way [illegible] to do with the Comanche Methodist Church before 1900.

"I trust this article will be of interest to all your readers whether members of the Methodist Church or not as it pictures the conditions true to all the churches at that time, of course varying according to the customs and belief in some respects of the different denominations.

"My reference to my own father and mother are there because of their intimate connection with the congregation and because the old timers so frequently linked them with the early religious history of Comanche."

The article follows:

THE METHODIST CHURCH,
Comanche, Texas
Prior to 1900.

In 1877 there was established at Comanche "The Masonic Institute" and a young Ex-Confederate soldier, a Master of Arts of the University of Mississippi, became its president. His name was David S. Switzer.

In 1878 he persuaded his brother, my father, W. C. Switzer, to come to Comanche to take up [illegible]. After two years here my father built a two store stone building in the northwest part of town, [illegible] and occupied by Mrs. M. E. Gardner, where he [illegible] until his death in January 1912.

About 1879 the old stone Methodist Church was erected on the site of the present commodious building. My father and W. W. McCulloch were on the building committee and each contributed [illegible] in cash to the building fund besides labor in putting in the foundations.

The masonry work was done by the late John Sullivan. It was a [illegible] one room building with [illegible] in the north end. Later it was added to and finally gave way to the present beautiful structure.

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great preacher and a fearless prophet of God. He died when I was a child but I remember him with his faithful daughter Miss Ellen who was his constant companion.

Among other pastors before 1900 I remember C. W. Daniel, R. R. (Gizzard Lip) Raymond, Sam J. Franks who passed away recently at Austin at the age of 90.

Franks was a tall red haired man who was fearless and forceful in his denunciation of all kinds of sin. He was pastor here when the hectic prohibition campaign of 1887 was on.

I have in my scrap book an [illegible]

[illegible] no means a coward.

There was C. V. Cowell, A. E. Carmany, Solon B. Burkhead and [illegible]. Dr. Burkhead was a small man with a bald head and with whom every one who knew him was in love. He came to Comanche from Georgetown where he was Professor of English in Southwestern University. He afterward was a Professor in Weatherford College and Clarendon College. He died at Houston.

Two of the old presiding elders I shall mention were J. P. Mussett and O. F. Sensabaugh. The former had lost a leg and walked on a peg leg.

My uncle, Ben W. Switzer who lived near Blanket had also lost a leg in the Civil War and since it was the "other leg" he and [illegible] upon the head of the [illegible] and he prayed.

In the Fort Worth church that day he cried "I have lived to see the day when that prayer is answered in the preacher of this hour."

Dr. Sensabaugh may be remembered by some as a Chesterfieldian Gentleman and his star has not dimmed through the years. He is at the present time pastor supplying the church in the little town in Colorado which was his first appointment 67 years ago.

I cannot mention all the glorious names of laymen who have had to do with the progress of this church. I recall a few whom I mention here.

There was Uncle Josiah Tunnell, the bass singer and who though nearly 70 years of age was the first president of the Epworth League organized about 1891.

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New Furniture Arrivals . . .

1943 Linoleum

Gay colored 6 and 9 foot wide linoleum suitable for every room in the house. Hard surface, long wearing easy to clean linoleum and our old prices. Come in today for a free room estimate. Also a big supply of new 9x12 rugs.

FIRST COME—FIRST SERVED.

1943 Studio Couches

A few new couches left that are the best we have had this year. Long wearing covers, makes into a six-foot bed and is a lovely sofa during the day. Come in TODAY to see these couches.

1943 Box Springs

Simmons Box Springs and Mattresses, the kind you see advertised in all magazines. For solid comfort and long wear—buy Simmons.

1943 Rockers

New shipment of high and low back upholstered rockers that range from $7.95 to $13.50. All colors to choose from, so select one to go with your suite or draperies.

1943 Baby Mattresses

New crib size baby mattresses that are truly wet-proof. These are ideal for the children and range from $7.95 to $12.95.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.

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FALL DRESSES



Ensure yourself of a dazzling new season with one or several of these enchanting new Fall dresses. Our buyers culled the cream of the Fall market . . . emerged with these beauties from the salons of America's topflight designers. And everyone is a wardrobe winner!



One and Two Piece Styles in rayon and wool. All thoughtfully priced for your Bond Buying Budget.

PRICE RANGE FROM

3.95 to 19.95

NEW FALL HATS

Also, new hats that will thrill you—hats to go with any style wardrobe. Select a cute beanie, a snap brim or a pastel felt. Our selection of hats is truly lovely and fit in with our new Fall dresses perfectly.

THERE'S A SKIRT
For Every Blouse

Career or college bound, you'll find just the skirt you want in our extensive new collection. Plaids stripes, and plains in a grand variety of weaves and designs—all deftly tailored for day in and out wear. While you're choosing your skirt, be sure to see our blouse collection, too!

SKIRTS PRICED FROM
$1.95 to $3.95
BLOUSES PRICED FROM
$1.98 to $4.95





NEW COATS

Nothing like one of our new swaggering wool coats to put you in your best mood for Fall. Be well dressed and groomed in a new Fall Coat. Choose from many styles—gabardine and wool, lined tweeds, camel and many others. . . . A new hat, a new dress, a new coat makes a new coat.

Come In Early For Best Selection

HIGGINBOTHAM BROS. & CO.

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W. W. McCullough, the father of Rev. W. S. P. McCullough who passed away at Ft. Worth a few years ago, whose frist sermon I remember to have heard. His text was "My Father, the Chariot of Israel and the Horseman thereof."

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Judge J. M. Presler who became a Justice of the State Court of Civil Appeals. Judge Presler had a tendenc yto occasionally backslide, but when he found himself slipping always sought my father's prayers to re-establish him.

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W. D. Brodie, who had lost an arm in the Mexican War and who in his old age was furnished a rocking chair and sat near the preacher to head the message.

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There were also Uncle Dunk Campbell, E. B. Drake and J. B. Tunnell and a host of others too numerous to mention.

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One of the great laymen of the past was W. F. Elkins, father of Lucious Elkins. He had been a drummer boy in the Confederate Army and was to the end straight and soldierly in appearance. But he was more than that: He was a Christian without guile. More young men were helped and inspired by his Godly life than almost any man I ever knew.

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I cannot but pay tribute to three living members of this church. Tney are Frank Adams, Mrs. Dora Greene and Mrs. Karon Little. When I was a little boy a young man, Frank Adams, came to Comanche and married Miss Clara Simmons. He was my Sunday School teacher when I was in my teens.

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Mrs. Dora Greene still abides. She and her family have had much to do with the progress of the church. Mrs. Karon Little is perhaps the oldest living member. I have known her all my life and she has ever lived beautifully.

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I recall three great revivals in the Comanche church during my boyhood. The first was held about 1888 when Brother Franks was pastor. Abe Mulkey and Eliza were the leaders of the movement and as I recall Andrew Hemphill was the singer.

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It was in this meeting that I joined the church though I had been conveted at the family altar.

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One result of this revival was the inauguration of the Monday night men's prayer meeting in which men from all the churches participated for fifteen years. Hemphill thrilled every one with the singing of "Never Alone."

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About 1894 A. E. Carraway as pastor preached and led in a three weeks revival which was one of the greatest I have ever witnessed. The theme song was "There is Sunshine in my Soul" and every body in town was singing and whistling it. Multitudes attended the serfices and hundreds were converted and joined the churches of the town.

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The third revival was about 1898 and was conducted by "The [illegible]"

He had run away from his home in London, England when he was eleven years old and had joined a circus, to become one of the most celebrated clowns in the business.

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One night when the show was in Fort Worth, he dressed in his clown's regalia with his long nose, and all the rest, and sauntered down the street, passing the time away before the show began. He heard singing and wandered into the Bethel Mission and before he realized it he was on his knees at the altar, clown suit and all, and there was a transformation of his whole life.

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He was an acrobat and also a ventriloquist. One night he threw his voice out into the congregation. Uncle Bob Carter was sitting there for the first time in many years. The voice seemed to come from where sat Uncle Bob, who left the arbor indignantly. But some years afterward when he became a Christian he confessed to my father that that was the turning point in his faith. Byron sang his own song "Diamonds in the Rough."

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Two animals played a part in the history of the church here. They were "Slack", Cyril Greene's dog, and "Old Robert" my father's horse.

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Mrs. Greene would come into the church with Lucy, Meddie, Nannie, Bertie, Cyril and Ossie and always sat all on the same tew. When they had seated themselves "Slack" would perch himself on the end of the pew and would sit quietly and with his eyes fixed upon the preacher throughout the service.

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On a hot August evening when people were tired and drowsy, suddenly as Dr. Burkhead was preaching, two cats engaged in an altercation behind the choir.

"Slack" was annoyed by this breach of decorum and figgeted until he could stand it no more. Then he made a lunge over the pews, over the pulpit and thru the choir windows. Around the house they came, into the front door and up the aisle and out the choir window again. As they came thru the church Dr. Burkhead pulled on his tie and shouted "Dismissed".

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"Old Robert" was Uncle Cape Switzer's buggy horse which he drove for twenty four years. As the old man was never absent or late at any service of the church the old horse observed the same habits. Turned loose anywhere he could be found at the Methodist Church standing by his hitching [illegible]

[illegible] the church.

My father, [illegible] known as "Uncle Cape" always sat on the front seat of the Amen Corner. He sang, patted his foot and sometimes whistled as he enjoyed the items of the service. He kept the carpet under his feet worn out with his enthusiastic foot patting.

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On one occasion a motion was made in the Missionary Society by a new woman in the church that Brother Elkins be authorized to put a square of painted tin under Uncle Cape's feet. A leading woman who had known him all her life rose and declared that as long as she lived the very best carpet obtainable would be under the feet of the faithful man.

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A prominent woman of the town united one Sunday with the Baptist Church. The pastor asked her to state what sermon of his had induced her to take the step. She replied "When I was a little girl I passed each day Uncle Cape's shop on my way to school. We children loved to look into his shop and see him hammer the sparks and play a tune with his hammer on the anvil as he sang the old songs. When I grew up I married and we built our home between the Methodist Church and his home. There was never a Sunday or a Wednesday night when we did not see him with his family going to Sunday School, preaching service and prayer meeting. It was the faithful, Godly life of that good man that caused me to see the reality of religion."

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He was a busy blacksmith but he was never too busy to attend services of any revival that might be held in the town.

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When the bell rang he would say "I must go to Church and I would like to have all go with me." Some times those who were in a hurry for their work would complain. He would reply "If you are in a hurry, take your work to the other shop. I serve the Lord as a business and I work at the blacksmith trade to pay expenses."

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He told me late in his life that he did not believe that he ever lost a customer or a dollar by his policy. Many of the men whom he took to church were converted and made useful Christians.

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My mother was a faithful member of this church. For a long time she was president of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society and also was a tireless worker in the "Lady's Aid." She loved the [illegible]

[illegible]

One [illegible] when a revival was in progress, she had made her testimony in which she declared that she desired to come to her end in the active service of God. She sat down and collapsed and, the next morning when the church was at the morning service she slipped away to be with the Lord.

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My father's end came in January 1913 in his 85th year. He had had an abundant lift, forty years of it devoted to the Comanche church. His six sons sat at his bedside as he heard their witness for his Lord and then with a shining face he told his experience.

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A stranger who had come in on business, after hearing that glorious testimony and witnessed the scene, came to his bedside [illegible] in his behalf. We knelt there as my father put his hand on the head of the penitent and prayed and the man gave himself to the God who had done so much for the dying man.

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When he went to heaven his children rose up to call him blessed as did his neighbors and friends who knew him well. I can sometimes in the hush of evening seem to hear him singing "I've anchored my soul in the Haven of Rest; I'll sail the wide seas no more. The tempest may sweep [illegible] Jesus I'm safe evermore."

The old church carries on. The old heroes have passed to their reward but a new generation with faith in God and the spirit of their fathers are on the March.

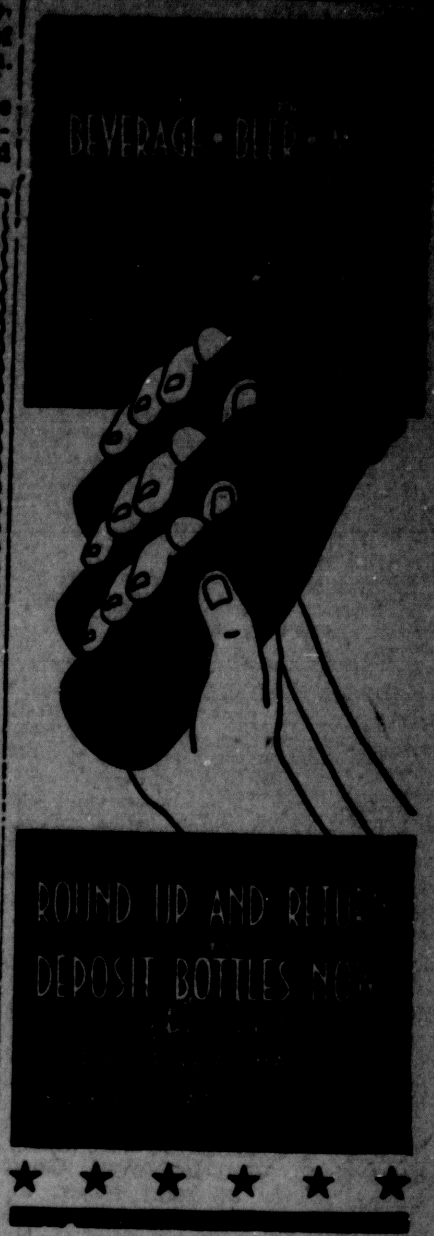
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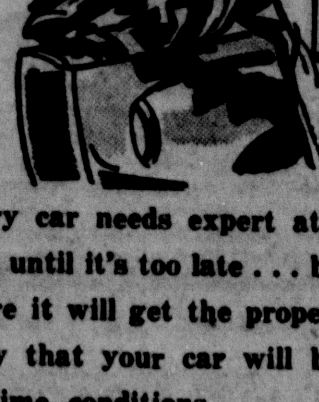
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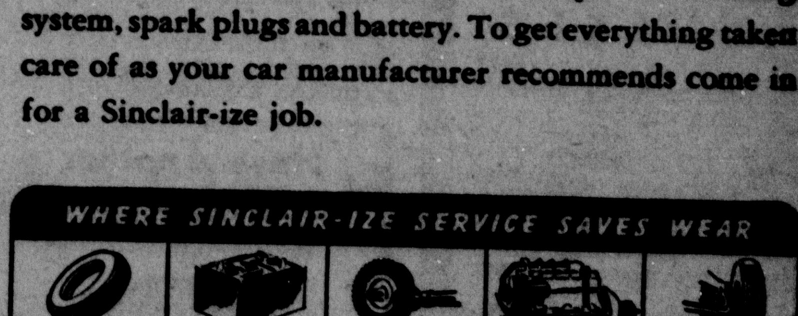
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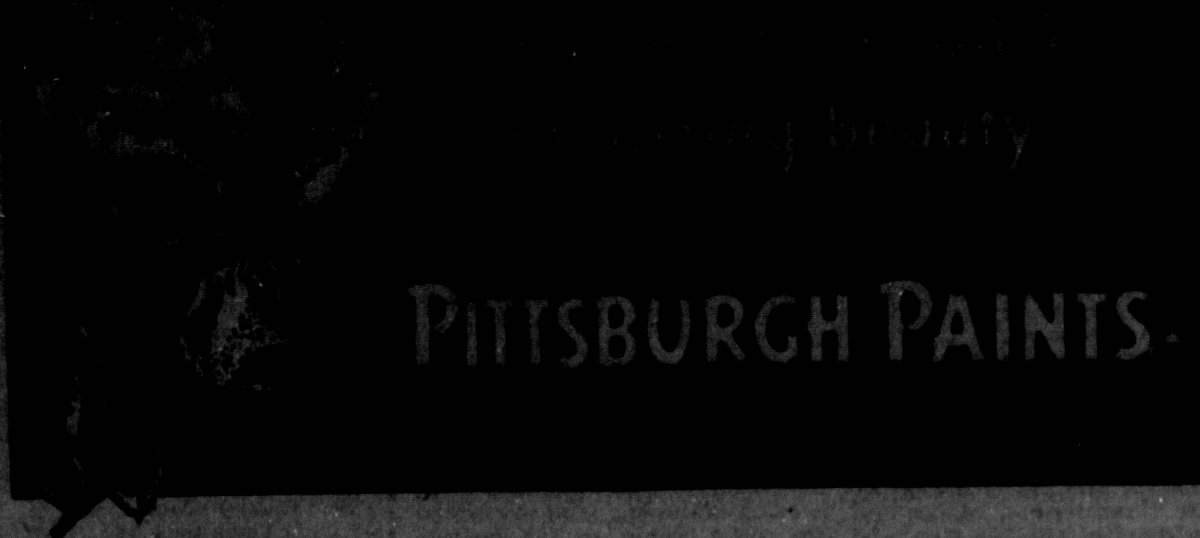
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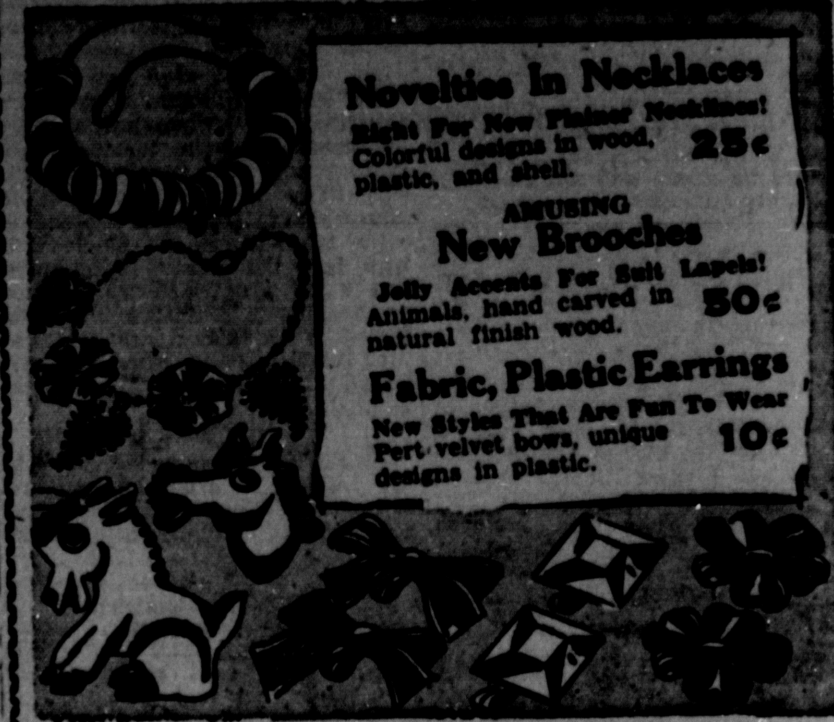
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[illegible] Your RUPTURE

[illegible]

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ONE WORMY PULLET MAY WASTE 80 POUNDS OF FEED A YEAR! When you look at the wartime feed situation—you've got a right to be worried. But why let worms add to your worries? And they will! For every wormy pullet may waste 80 pounds of feed a year . . eat her head off and not pay you back with enough eggs! Get Pratt's "Split-Action" Worm Capsules and turn your wormy birds into layers . . for only apenny a fowl. Each Pratts Capsule delivers two different treatments right on the worms . . hours apart. Does the work of two ordinary treatments. Neither treatment interferes with the other. More effective worming results. Several types of worms are treated. And the "Split" treatment is easier on the birds. Pratts "Split-Action" Capsules also contain Phenothiazine . . the new miracle wormer . . that's 95 to 100% effective in killing and expelling cecum worms . . the worm that carries blackhead germ. Never has a poultry wormer done so much for so little. See your dealer. Demand Pratt's "Split-Action" Worm Capsules. Dr. Pratts Dealer.—Service Drug Store, Comanche. (4-7c)

POULTRY AND TURKEY Raisers use Sulfi-Tone in drinking water or feed. Flocks in hot weather are in better health, have less germs, worms. Repels bloodsucking lice, mites, blue bugs. Hastens moulting. Trial size $1.00 bottle only 59c.—Durham's Pharmacy. (tf)

SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING and rebuilding of all makes. Plenty of pre-war parts at present. Needles, oil and belts. Machines bought and sold. All work guaranteed. See me before you buy. Electric irons and fans repaired. —W. W. Jarrett, 103 N. Elm St., Phone 359, Comanche, Box 23.

FOR SALE—Span of good young mares. Also 14 broken and unbroke mules to select from.—Pate Fagan, Comanche. (1tc)

LITTELL'S LIQUID

An aid in relieving the itching that occasionally accompanies Minor Skin Irritations, Prickly Heat, Eczema, and the bites of Non-Poisonous Insects. Price 50¢.

DURHAM'S RX. PHARMACY

[illegible] with new [illegible]. (Give us few days to obtain battery after purchase). See them today.—Service Drug Store, Comanche. (5-8c)

FOR SALE OR TRADE—80 acres, practically all in cultivation, good orchard, good well, on mail and school bus route, owes Federal Loan; 110 acres, 60 cultivation, one mile pavement, good well and windmill; 50 acres, good location, all weather road, about 30 cultivation, fruit of all kinds; 197 acres, 4½ miles from town, near paved highway, 80 acres cultivation; 80 acres near highway, 60 cultivation; 34 acres, 1½ miles out on paved highway; 70 acres, new 4 room house, good grass, running water, electricity, electric pump on well, school and bus route; 6 room house newly covered, lights, gas and water, 1 acre land; 6 room house, well located, possession now. If you want to buy, sell or trade, come to see me.—W. D. Carroll.

GOOD USED FEED BAGS Suitable for sacking peanuts.—Hamilton Mill & Elevator Co., Box 351, Hamilton, Texas. (4-7c)

When Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Johnson got ready to move from the old Gentry place east of the square on the Fort Worth Highway to the residence just south of the Presbyterian Church near the old Rock Shop, they contracted with Burks Transfer and Storage Company to haul their household goods. Burks is a bonded and insured firm that knows how moving should be done. (adv)

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dowdey recently moved from the Mount Pleasant community to the Newburg community, making a contract with Burks Transfer and Storage Company to do the moving. Moving is a pleasure when Burks does it. (adv)

Tom Sheridan and family recently moved from Comanche to Stephenville where he has a job as driver for Bowen Bus Lines. He made a contract with Burks Transfer and Storage Company to haul his household goods. It makes no difference where you move, Burks can do the job. (adv)

Prof. Burleson and family recently moved from De Leon to Cross Plains, having their household goods hauled by Burks Transfer and Storage Company, a bonded and insured firm that guarantees their work. (adv)

A. F. Wells, proprietor of the Shamrock Cafe, recently moved with his family from one of the Rev. J. D. Smoot residences, to his new home which he recently had erected just north of the Joe Marshall residence in West Comanche. Burks Transfer and Storage Company did the moving. Burks is bonded and insured for this kind of work. (adv)

[illegible] To Open New Term September 14

[illegible] the importance of giving today's young people the training they need for today's activities, Daniel Baker College in Brownwood will inaugurate several changes in its program this year.

The 1943-44 school year will be divided into four 9 week terms instead of the usual two 18 week terms. Each class will be met each day for five days a week instead of three days as in the past, and class periods will be 1 hour and 15 minutes.

The purpose of this plan is to give refresher courses in the shortest possible time as well as courses required for war work, Dr. Thomas H. Hart, president, said. The change in the system will also allow students who desire to work part time to continue their school work, it was pointed out.

Another advantage of the new system is that oys now under selective service age or those who are waiting for their call to service will have an opportunity to continue their schooling. It was stressed that the shorter term will give these oys a greater assurance that they can finish any unit of work they start before being called into the armed forces.

Among the new courses to be offered this year will be a mechanical drawing course which is required for most engineer and war work, Dr. Hart stated.

The ever increasing demand for trained workers emphasizes the need for every boy or girl to go back to school and complete the educational equipment that is needed to enable them to meet the challenge of today and the future, college officials believe.

Registration for the fall semester at Daniel Baker will begin on Tuesday, September 14, it was announced this week.

Cemetery Working At Stag Creek Tuesday

There will be an all day cemetery working Tuesday, August 31, at Stag Creek.

"Dinner is to be served on the grounds, and everyone is invited to attend," says Roy Fielder. "Bring your hammer and posthole diggers, because we are going to fix the cemetery fence," he continues.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank every one who in any way contributed to us, when we lost our house and contents from fire. Words cannot speak our appreciation. So we humbly say, thank you.—Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kinser and daughter.

[illegible]

[illegible] 'X', 'Y', 'Z' [illegible] valid and expire [illegible]

Red Stamps 'R', 'S' and 'T' expire [illegible] and become valid as follows: Stamp 'X', August 22nd; Stamp 'Y', August 29th; Stamp 'Z', September 5th.

Blue Stamps 'R', 'S', and 'T' are now valid and will expire September 20th.

Blue Stamps 'U', 'V', and 'W' become valid September 1st and expire Oct. 20th.

Brown Stamps from your Ration Book No. 3 become valid as follows: Stamp 'A', September 12th; Stamp 'B', September 19th. These two stamps also expire Oct. 2nd.

Sugar Stamp No. 14 from Ration Book No. 1 is now valid for five pounds of sugar. Sugar Stamps 15 and 16 are good for five pounds of sugar each, for home canning. All three of these stamps expire Oct. 31st.

Shoes: Oct. 31st expiration date of Stamp No. 18, valid for purchase of one pair of shoes.

Gasoline

All old type "B" and "C" and 100 gallon bulk coupons become invalid after August 31st. These coupons are identified by the words "Permits delivery" at top of the coupon. The new "B" and "C" coupons have the words "Mileage Ration" above the letter.

Mileage Ration Stamps A—7 expire September 21st.

Mileage Ration Stamps A-8 become valid Sept. 22nd and are good for two months.

Tire Inspections

A bookholder, inspection every 6 months.

B bookholder, inspection every 4 months.

C bookholder, inspection every 3 months.

T bookholder, inspection every 5,000 miles or every 6 months which ever occurs first.

A, B, C and T coupons must have the license number of your vehicle written on the face of the coupon when presented to the service station for gasoline.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Self-Denial: "Blessed are the meek; for they shall inherit the earth." Meekness is opposed to contention, strife, malice, hatred, complaint, criticism, and such other objectionable traits as had become common in the Jewish world. The "meek" are gentle, temperate, patient, calm, resigned, teachable, forbearing, and forgiving. Such men enjoy life the best and derive the most from the world; they really "Inherit the earth." The inheritance laws did not mean to give the parent's property to children that they might waste and consume it; but that they might use it as a means to greater prosperity and that in the end society might be improved. Those who used the estate for practical purposes and invested their own time and talent in their chosen fields, gained the greater happiness for themselves in life and in death left a still greater estate to posterity. The greatest heritage tha any man can leave his so nis a life worthy to be loved and imitated.

—R. C. Ledbetter.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

A delinquent Church member is nothing short of a tragedy. One of our guest preachers during our Homecoming referred to two classes of Church members, namely; Ink members and loyal members. To which class do you belong? What joy it would bring to the heart of a pastor if every member whose name is on the Church roll could be depended on to be present in every service unless Providentially hindered.

We have a most delightful group of people to worship with at the First Methodist Church and if you are not attending Church somewhere we extend to you a most cordial welcome to come with us. Our services are at the regular hours. Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Preaching services at 11:00 a.m. and 8:30 p.m. We would be delighted to see you in all of our services next Sunday.

—R. B. Hooper, Pastor.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible School, Communion and Preaching every Sunday at ten. No evening service.

There will be no preaching this Sunday, August 29th, as I'll be in Marble Falls on a Preaching Mission under the direction of our State Board.

—C. C. Klingman, Pastor.

H. C. Bumgarner Claimed By Death

H. C. Bumgarner, 51, well known Gustine citizen, died at a Gorman hospital recently following a three weeks illness. Funeral services were held at the Union Cemetery with Elder Len Dalton officiating, assisted by Rev. Barnett of Gustine. Interment was in the Union Cemetery in the presence of a large number of friends.

Mr. Bumgarner was born in Mills County November 5, 1892. He spent most of his life in and around Gustine. He is survived by his widow, the former Miss Code Nelson, and the following brothers: Kirby Bumgarner of San Antonio, Burns Bumgarner of San Diego, Guy Bumgarner of Long Beach, California, Homer and Cecil Bumgarner of Gustine, and a sister, Mrs. Maude Shockley of California.

Paying tribute to his memory, one of his friends says: "Hubert Bumgarner was a good citizen and a man whom everyone liked for his generosity, jolly disposition, and loyalty to his family and friends."

[illegible] Cunningham Reunion Held Here August 15

Descendants of the late Captain Cunningham and wife met on August 15 on their own reunion grounds, eight miles south of Comanche, in the forty-sixth annual reunion.

There were only two of the original in-laws living, and they were able to attend. They were Mrs. L. A. Cunningham of Comanche, and Jim Lewis of Bangs.

Incomplete reports show there are thirty-four members of the family in the armed services. "Around one-hundred were present at this annual reunion; normal attendance is around 175," says L. A. Cunningham, secretary.

Among the out-of-county visitors at the reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. Arch Lewis, San Angelo; Dr. and Mrs. George Lewis, San Angelo; Joe Lewis, Banks; Mrs. N. W. Vaughan, Yuma, Arizona; Mrs. D. A. King, San Benito; and Mrs. Hugh Lee Terrell and daughter, San Benito.

[illegible] Premiums Payable At Gustine Bank

Attention is called to an advertisement carried elsewhere in this issue by The Commercial Union Life Insurance Company of Waco in which it is announced that for the convenience of its policy holders, arrangements have been made with the First State Bank at Gustine for policy holders to deposit their monthly premiums in the bank without any charges with the official premium receipt to be mailed from the home office.

The advertisement says that this is a more convenient way and says the expense of a post office money order and mailing. One of the services of the company is a family group policy insuring the entire family against death, accident, and accident hospitalization.

APARTMENT FOR RENT—Modern conveniences.—See Johnnye McKinzie at Johnnye's Beauty Salon. (1tp)

[illegible] in Comanche [illegible] [illegible]ham's Rx. Pharmacy.

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ELECTROLUX CLEANER OWNERS

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We will be in Comanche on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 27 and 28.

For ELECTROLUX SERVICE, Call Phone 48, Comanche

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

DON'T FORGET! to Buy War Bonds and Shop and Save at PIGGLY WIGGLY

It's patriotic to be thrifty — if your savings are placed in War Bonds. That's why we say — shop at Piggly Wiggly and save.

WHITE MEAL

5 lb. 10 lb. 20 lb. Sizes

NEW CROP **POTATOES** 10 Lbs. 39¢

School Days are Here Again

Pnut Butter qt. jar 54¢

Potted Meat 3¼ Oz. 6¢

SALTED **CRACKERS** 1 Lb. Box 10¢

ASSORTED **COOKIES** Package 10¢

BESTMAID Salad Dressing Pint Jar 23¢

Our Market Specials

GRADE A **Sliced Bacon** 42¢

ONLY TAKES 8 RED POINTS PER POUND

FOR BOILING **Salt Jowl** 3 Red Points Lb. 18¢

ASSORTED **Lunch Meat** 6 Red Points Pound 35c

BOLOGNA **SAUSAGE** 6 RED POINTS PER POUND 25c

Picnic Hams Pound 6 Red Points 32c

[illegible] Mrs. Lee McDonald, [illegible] McDonald and Kenneth [illegible] Sunday.

[illegible] and Mrs. Otis Fowler and [illegible] and Mrs. Clarence Willingham [illegible] Mrs. Willingham's brother [illegible] Sunday in Brownwood.

Mrs. Olen Williams has returned home from New York where her husband has been stationed. He has left for overseas [illegible].

[illegible] Allsup who is working [illegible] Bowie, spent the week-end here with his folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welk and [illegible] of Amarillo are visiting [illegible] and Mrs. Will Miller.

Mrs. Herbert Bumgarner has been visiting relatives in Dublin.

[illegible] Miller of Dallas spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Burch Stuteville and son of Flat, Staff Sgt. Claton Lawrence, and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lawrence and children of Lubbock spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stuteville.

Sidney

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones have moved to their new place which they bought from Mrs. Effie McCullough. Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Irby moved into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Oberthier Moore and children are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wil-[illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Lenard Bragg and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCullough.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Redwine visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Redwine in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Damon Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Drewie Hall attended the Hall reunion at Lake Eanes Sunday.

Those from out of the community who attended the Cox reunion here Sunday included Mrs. Sarah [illegible] of Abilene, Mrs. Carl [illegible] and son, Wayland of Cleburne, Mr. and Mrs. Garland [illegible] and baby of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and daughter of Cross Plains, and Mrs. Nelson Hall of Marlin.

Soda Springs

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Robertson of Lometa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Preacher Hazzard of Houston, Mrs. Walker of Comanche and W. W. Walker of [illegible] spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sturdivant.

Miss Frankye Lloyd of Comanche is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Russell had the misfortune of losing their home and all their household goods by fire last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaden Gressett of Sundown and Miss Nita Jean [illegible] of Pecos are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl [illegible].

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Cagle and Mr. and Mrs. Lohman Cagle were in Comanche Monday.



[illegible]

[illegible] Williamson, who has been visiting her son, Arthur [illegible] Williamson, in West Texas, has returned and is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Munselle visited at the Gorman Hospital Saturday with their friend, S. G. Wright, who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kerley visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Starnes Sunday.

Pvt. and Mrs. Windle Cathey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Turney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Munselle, Mrs. Loyd Higginbotham and babies attended a family reunion in the home of Mrs. Munselle's sister, Mrs. N. A. Drinkard of May, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Robertson of Cuthbert visited his sister, Mrs. F. A. Munselle recently.

Ellie Williamson visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coltser Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Munselle, Mrs. Loyd Higginbotham and babies, Darrell Mathews, Bob Mathews and Oma Mathews visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ditmore Sunday.

Pvt. Leo Hall is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoss Hall and Imogene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bramblett and babies of Dublin visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Turney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mathews and Charles visited Mr. and Mrs. Gustine Gilbreath of Edna Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coltser visited Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Munselle Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kerley, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Starnes visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Kerley Sunday afternoon.

Elmer Chick, G. L. Wooley, Frank Roberson, Mrs. Emmet Thedford and Melton Thedford visited Dock Kerley and family Sunday.

Melvin Kerley who has been working at Houston is home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Looney, Mr. and Mrs. Gustine Gilbreath, Pvt. and Mrs. Talmedge Gilbreath visited Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mathews Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Liston Wiggins visited her sister, Mrs. C. H. Mathews Monday.

Mrs. Eddie Hatley visited Mrs. V. L. Higginbotham Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reed and Paul Dean of Dublin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Munselle Friday.

PVT. ERNEST RAMBO NOW AT OHIO UNIVERSITY

Pvt. Ernest Cameron Rambo, son of Roy R. Rambo, Comanche, was one of 422 men assigned to the 1553rd Service Unit of the Army Specialized Training Program at Ohio University, where he is now enrolled and receiving instruction in the basic engineering curriculum under this program.

The men station at Ohio University (Athens, O.) have been divided into companies and organized under the cadet system. Company A of which Pvt. Rambo is a member, has its headquarters in the Men's Dormitory.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meyers and children of Dallas and Pvt. and Mrs. J. C. Meyers of Love Field, Dallas, were recent visitors in Comanche, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Meyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Asberry Rogers were in Comanche Saturday.

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cox and daughter of Cross Plains.

Visitors present were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walker and son, Mrs. Agnes Walker, Ronald Steele, Mrs. Lee Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. Drewy Hall.

At the noon hour a bountiful lunch was spread. The afternoon was spent in conversation, picture taking, and watermelon slicing.

Gap

Pvt. Wade Milner from McCloskey Gen. Hospital of Temple visited his mother, Mrs. Veda Milner Sunday.

Pvt. Buell Rogers of Mineral Wells visited relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. Willie Pearl Everett of Memphis returned home Monday

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore [illegible] week. June, their daughter, returned home after visiting her grandparents [illegible] in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Osborn announce the arrival of a 7 pound baby daughter, Betty Charlotte on August 17, at a Gorman hospital.

MRS. WILLIS KING BACK FROM ARIZONA

Mrs. Willis King has returned home after spending three months in Arizona. While in Arizona, she visited her son, R. M. King, in Wickenburg.

She underwent a major operation on her right eye in a Phoenix hospital. Mrs. King reports that she is doing nicely; however, she has lost the sight of her right eye, but the operation took the pressure off the left one, and saved it.

Mrs. George Black was taken to a Dallas hospital for treatment this week.

[illegible] Mr. Lane has now returned to the States and is attending [illegible] School at Wake Forest College, N. C. Mrs. Lane and baby plan to join him soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Greer Waldrop of Shawnee, Okla., attended the funeral of Mrs. Waldrop's grandmother, "Aunt Margaret" Dooley, life-long resident of Lamkin.

Mrs. Lyman Campbell and daughter, Gonda, have returned to their home in Mexico after having visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dooley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hamilton and daughter, Wynette of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hamilton and children of Dallas

[illegible]

Wynette Hamilton of Brownwood spent last week here with her grandparents.

Fairview

Mrs. Luther Stewart has returned from Gorman after spending several days there with her mother, Mrs. Troy Williams, who underwent a major operation at a hospital there. She reports her mother is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jones and children of Bonham visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. B. E.

[illegible] Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curry are preparing to build a new house on their farm.

Misses Annie Ruth Stone and Iris Langley of Comanche spent Tuesday night with LaVerne Fowler.

Mrs. Earl Taylor, the former Miss Johnnie Smoot, and two sons of New York City are here visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Smoot. Mr. Taylor, a former Comanche High School teacher, is now teaching in New York University.

Mrs. D. A. King, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. T. A. Cunningham, has returned to her home in San Benito.



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2 MORE SORRY SKUNKS
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WE CAN'T STOP BRINGING IN SCRAP IRON
ANY MORE THAN THEY CAN STOP FIGHTING!

And that takes SCRAP for the foundries—for the arms and ammunition—NOW—not next month!

ISN'T IT WORTH YOUR TROUBLE?

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And here's more money for a quick response to this ad . . . We need scrap quick to finish out some cars loading at Dublin before Sept. 15st—so the price is up thru the last day of August.

35¢ PER 100 POUNDS WILL BE PAID FOR STEEL and CAST. (No Tin)

Please come by Hoffman's Store on your way to scales.

A Little Co-Operation Now Will Go A Long Way—To Berlin and Tokio!!

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Does It Again!

Like autumn leaves fluttering down in a flurry of excitement—So have styles of beauty and importance in Fall apparel been breezing into HOFFMAN'S during the past month or so—until now we can say:
HOFFMAN'S DOES IT AGAIN!
Yes, already, we've completely assembled our lines of ready-to-wear, to take care of your needs from head-to-toe!!
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...ond Ralph R. Lister and ...mes H. Williford are two ...ores regular Army officers ... Independence Army Air ... The third is Lieutenant ... Richard Montgomery, ...ding officer.

...better evidence to the fact ...flying is "a young man's ... could be found than in the ... Colonel Lister and Major ...rd," says a clipping taken ...e Independence Daily Re... Col. Lister is 27 years old; ...ajor Williford is 26. The ...ding officer, Col. Mont..., is only 31.

... Williford, whose home is ...anche, was graduated from ... A. & M. in 1938 with a ... of science degree. He re... his wings as a pilot from ...ield in 1939.

... clipping handed in from ...ependence Reporter, Col... director of training and ... Williford, air inspector, are ... at their headquarters ...ing a map used in planning ...tudent cross country flight. ...se officers are responsible ...ing that aviation cadets get ...t of the expert, highly ...ve training they need to ... for the advanced schools ...ich they will move from ... training," says the article. ...celess to say, both Colonel ... and Major Williford are ...bout as fine pilots as the ... can produce," the Daily ...er concludes.

...b Women To ...d County Wide ...ting Aug. 28

...Elvirana Cearley, County ...me Demonstration Agent

...unty-wide meeting of Home ...stration club women will ...d in the district courtroom ...on August 28 at 3 o'clock. ...gram will be given including ... from the delegate who ...ded the Texas Home Demon... Association Convention in ...

...al guests will be members ... Commissioners' Court. Every ...is urged to have as many ...ers present as possible.

Mercer Gap

... Omega Cunningham spent ...eek with her grandparents ...klin.

... Nora Joe Young of Abi... spent Tuesday at the Jess ...rd home and attended the ...g of Miss Neva Williford ...Lt. Crumbly. The wedding ...erformed at the home of the ... Tuesday night. There was ...ge crowd present for the ...ng and supper. The bride ...groom went to Brady that ... to be with his parents and ...dinner for them there Wed... They left Wednesday ...for Orlando, Florida, where ...umbly is stationed as a fly... ...lot.

... Curtis McKinzie and son, ... Ray, visited her parents, ...nd Mrs. Jess Williford and ...nd Mrs. Tom McKinzie.

... R. C. Caldwell visited her ... and mother-in-law at Gus... ...st week.

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Banner Creamery

Comanche, Texas

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(By Family Reporter)

J. O. and Tom Jones had the pleasure of having their family reunion to come to Comanche for the first time, when the gathering was held August 1st. This reunion has met several times at Bonham with the brothers, Ernest and Isham Jones. Two years ago it met at Graham with a sister, Mrs. A. L. Milligan. Last year it met at Clarendon with another sister, Mrs. I. J. Moore.

Next year's session will go back to Bonham with the brothers. This reunion is the children of Alexander and Mary S. Jones, both deceased. There are 8 children. Six were present for the homecoming: four brothers, Ernest and Isham Jones of Bonham and Tom and J. O. Jones who live near Comanche; two sisters, Mrs. A. L. Milligan of Graham and Mrs. I. J. Moore of Clarendon.

About 90 relatives and about 45 friends gathered for the reunion.

The reunion met at the J. O. Jones home near Board Church. There were 56 who spent Saturday night at the Jones home.

A regular picnic lunch was served at the noon hour, with a pot of "Uncle Tom" Jones' stew and a pot of barbecue beef prepared by Clarence Jones of Bonham, which were enjoyed by all along with all other good eats usually found was a basket lunch. Iced drinks and coffee were served.

A watermelon slicing, picture taking, singing and conversation featured the evening program.

There had been several births, no marriage and two deaths the past year. There are several nephews, grandson and sons-in-law who are in the armed services with several across on the battlefields, and all there are missed very much.

The two sisters absent didn't have any of their families represented.

Those present for the reunion were as follows: Mrs. I. J. Moore and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Lue Johnson and two children of Clarendon, A. L. Milligan and family of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones, Sr., Alvins Jones and family, Ernest Jones, Jr. and family and Clarence Jones and family of Bonham, Mrs. Leona Richards and children, Mr. and Mrs. Isham Jones and sons, Billie Joe and Albert, Alex Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Butler, Mrs. Imogene McMillan, Earl Dean Owen, and King Veach and family all of Bonham, Raymond Dismond and family of Fort Worth, Grancie Francisco and daughter of Longview.

Mamie Wilkerson and family of Buffalo, Miss Blanche Wilkerson of Fort Worth, Ardelle Elliott who is in training in Illinois, Maxine and Wanda Gay Reid of Hasse, Walter Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mar-

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(By W.S.C.S. Reporter)

The W.S.C.S. met Monday, Aug. 16 in the church parlor with eleven members present. Miss Margaret Vernon, using 1 Cor. 1-13, lead the study. Mrs. Mallard and little Judie Dillon favored us with a duet, and Jimmie Smoot and Mrs. Mallard favored us with a duet. Both were well rendered and enjoyed by all. Jimmie is a pupil of Mrs. Mallard.

Mrs. Vasco Lee gave the last Mission study lesson, "The Negro and Their Education". The lesson was given in a very interesting manner. Miss Margaret Vernon presided over a short business sessions.

All members, especially officers, are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McEwing and children of Grand Prairie are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Huggins this week.

children, Pfc. Pat and Kenneth of Grand Prairie were visiting in this community Wednesday. Pat is home on a furlough. He is stationed in North Carolina.

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Herman Tubb Sellers has returned to New York after spending his leave here with his mother, Mrs. Herman Sellers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Weaver and Kenita Weaver spent Monday and Tuesday in Abilene.

Mrs. Wyatt Lee Morris and little son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris.

The Church of Christ meeting is now going on and having real good attendance.

...

...with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Weaver.

Herman Sellers is home on a furlough.

Miss Mary Bailey of De Leon has been visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Pounds of Gorman spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Littlefield.

A. J. Whitlock left Monday to return to San Marcos after spending his furlough with homefolks.

Mrs. Lynn Douglas spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. T. A. Weaver.

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Notice of Public Hearing on County Budget

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Comanche County, Texas, will hold a public hearing at 10 o'clock A.M. on Monday, August 30 in the Commissoners' Court Room in the Courthouse at Comanche, Texas, on the County Budget as prepared by the County Judge and filed with the County Clerk of Comanche County, Texas.

This notice is given in compliance with Article 689-A, Subdivision II.

Done by the order of the Commissioners' Court of Comanche County, Texas.

H. H. Lockridge

COUNTY JUDGE

COMANCHE COUNTY, STATE OF TEXAS

Attest:

CLAUDIA FISHER, County Clerk,
Comanche County, State of Texas.

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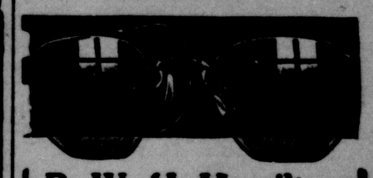
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PENSION GROUP MEETS AUGUST 14; WILL MEET HERE AGAIN SATURDAY

The Comanche County Pension group met August 14 in the courthouse at Comanche, with Representative O. H. Moore's report of the work of the investigating committee at Austin, being the highlight of the meeting.

"Our next meeting will be Saturday, August 21, and we'll be glad for everyone to come out," says Green West, Chairman, and Mrs. Effie Brock, Secretary.

Many friends of Mrs. Alta McKinzie surprised her last Friday night by gathering at her home for a social and presenting her with twenty-three cup towels and several other gifts. It was Mrs. McKinzie's birthday.

[illegible] with the Ninth Air Force as secretaries, stenographers, teletypists, telephone operators, [illegible] and drivers. Some personnel, however, were assigned directly to schools for brief courses in British methods and procedures, but they will be on the "starting line" at many airdromes in the near future.

The Battalion draws its membership from all of the 48 states and the District of Columbia. Included is Sergeant Rena E. Owen, Comanche, who lived in the Harmony community and is a former correspondent for The Chief. She enrolled in the WAAC in August, 1942, and was trained as a first cook at Ft. Des Moines, Iowa.

SUNSHINE CLUB MEETS HERE WITH MRS. PIPES

By Lottie Hart, Club Reporter)

Mrs. Neva Pipes entertained the Alice Russell Sunshine Club in her home August 10th. President Cooper Allen called the meeting to order, members answering the roll call with quotations from the Ritual. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Sister Belle Dudley gave a very interesting lesson from the O.E.S. Constitution, after which plans were made to piece a quilt for the Red Cross.

The hostess, assisted by Minnie Moody served a delicous cold drink and cookies to the following members: Cooper Allen, Eugenia Gray, Belle Dudley, Nina Pettit, Eulalia Wells, Essie McDonald, Lula Hulsey, Thelma Dudley, Mae Clemons, Lottie Hart, and Minnie Moody.

Our next meeting will be in the home of Sister Mae Clemons Tuesday, Aug. 24 at 4 p.m.

BUSY BEE CLUB MEETS SEPTEMBER 7

The Busy Bee Quilting Club will meet with Mrs. Harvey Hurt on Tuesday, September 7.

"We will quilt for Mrs. Hurt on that date; so, let's all be present," says Mrs. Jack Carter, "This will be gift day; so bring a new member with you."

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The accident occurred between Barstow and Pyote shortly after 8 o'clock Saturday night. Mrs. Withers was in the car driven by William C. Spencer, who was killed. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer and Mrs. Withers were on their way from Pecos to Brownwood. Carterino Salmon of Toyah was the driver of the other car. He suffered minor injuries, and, after receiving emergency treatment at the Pyote Army Air Base hospital was released.

Mrs. William C. Spencer suffered head and internal injuries and numerous bruises.

Driver's Licenses To Be Issued Here All Day Tuesdays

S. Harry Kelsey, who is with the Department of Public Safety, Drivers License Division, will be in Comanche each Tuesday and will issue driver's licenses all day.

Mr. Kelsey says that his headquarters will be in the sheriff's office or in the County Court Room, and that licenses will be issued starting at 8 o'clock in the morning and continuing to 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

"Please note this change of schedule," the patrolman continues, "And if you need any information in regard to licenses, or any other phase of the Department of Public Safety work, come by any Tuesday, and we'll be glad to help you."

R. Y. Burdette was in the Soda Springs community Sunday

[illegible]
Then you sailed away on a
broader sea,
Out beyond the sunset skies.

I saw a fair life sailing
On time's unquiet sea;
For a while it was mine to love,
Then it vanished away from me.
O beautiful life, like the ship
that sailed
Away through the sunset bars,
You silently passed through the
gates of gold
To the glory beyond the sunset's
glow
And somewhere beyond the
sunset's glow
Far over Eternity's sea
All safe in the harbor where
storms never rise,
My loved one is waiting for me.

MR. AND MRS. JACK GORE HERE FROM GALVESTON

Chief radioman and Mrs. Jack Gore of Galveston visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gore, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foreman and daughter, Barbara, in Comanche over the week-end.

Gore, who is chief radioman with the Navy, and is stationed at the Naval Base in Galveston, has returned to duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Fletcher and Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Olin Coulter and children attended a supper at Lake Eanes Thursday night, given in honor of Sgt. and Mrs. McAdo. Mrs. McAdo, who was Miss Roy Wallace before her recent marriage to Sgt. McAdo spent a week with homefolks

Jack and Wallace and Miss Kathleen Coulter all attended the Cowen reunion last week.

[illegible] with his wife and baby son, and mother, Mrs. J. W. Abernathy and family here.

Thrilling accounts were related by the sailor of his adventures aboard ship: touching several points off the coast and seeing some rather grim phases of the war. Once his ship, he said, was miraculously missed by four enemy torpedoes.

Mrs. Abernathy has one other son in service: John D. Abernathy, ground mechanic with the Air Force, who has been stationed in England for several months.

Proctor

Willard Lynn Moore of San Saba visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Court over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Carleton visited their son, Major Carleton in Austin last week.

Pvt. Pruitt Humble of Las Vegas, N. M. spent last week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Newman have moved into Lee's Filling Station.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Woolsey have returned from an extended visit with relatives in New Mexico.

Mrs. Bertha Beard of San Antonio visited relatives here last week.

Nelda Joy Court spent last week-end with Mrs. Maud Handcock.

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[illegible] Naval Construction Unit of the armed services, with the rank of petty officer, third class.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gober of Harmony spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Julia McKinzie who has been sick for the past two weeks, but is improving.

[illegible] was destroyed by fire Tuesday, the building and contents being a complete loss.

Mrs. V. C. Walker announces that a miscellaneous shower for the Russell family will be held at the Walker residence in that same community Tuesday night and that everyone is urged to come and bring a gift.



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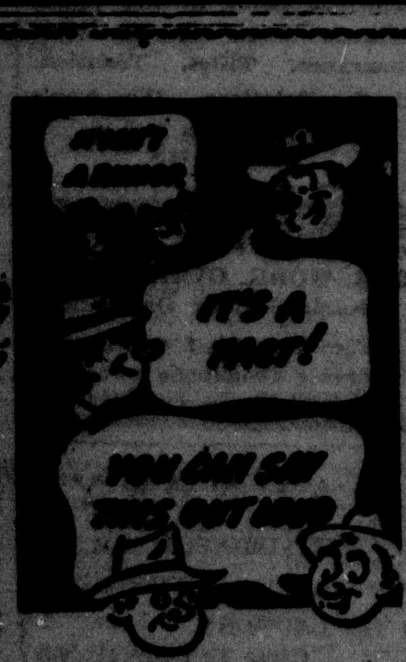
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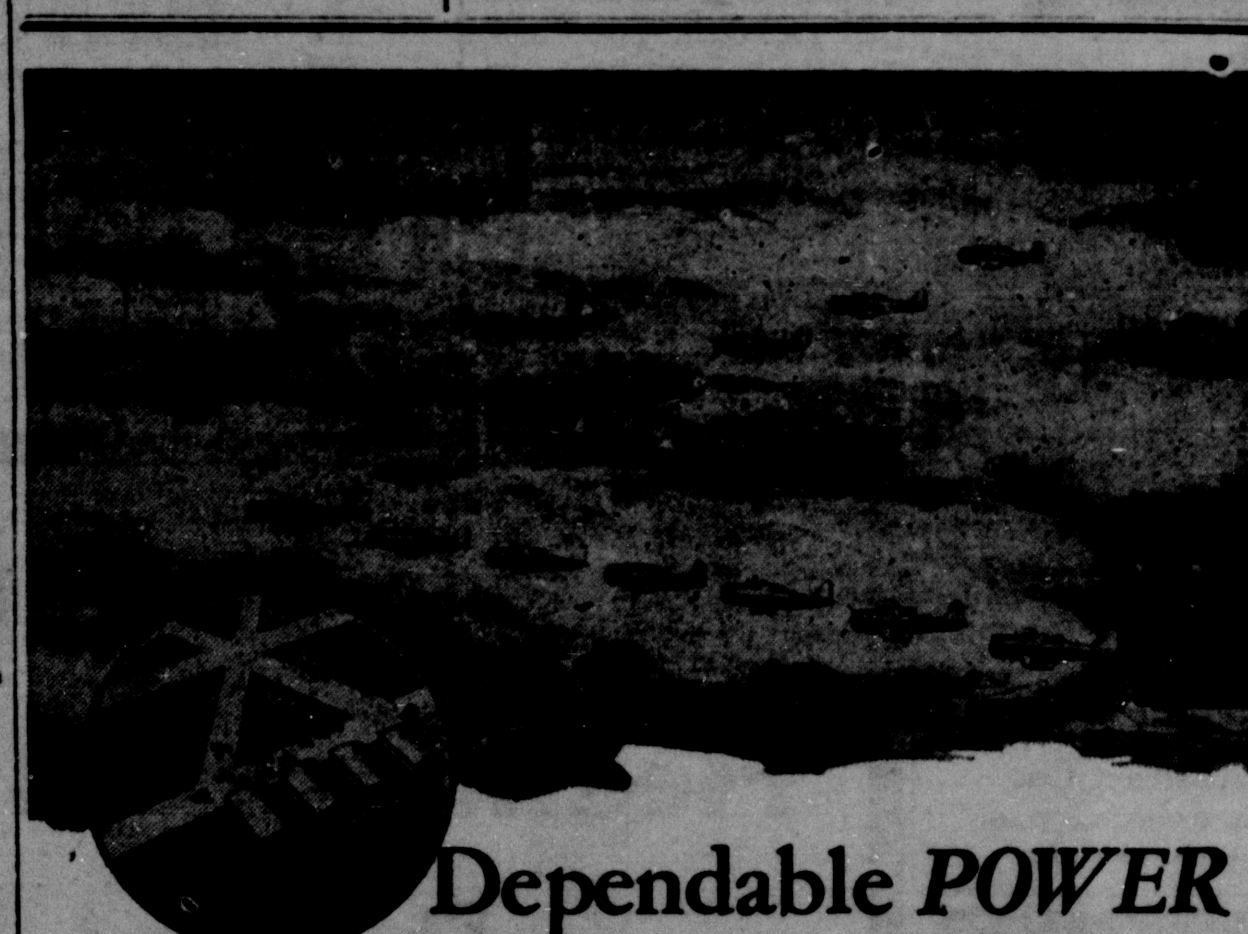
What car?

Not even the last pre-war models could be duplicated instantly, and the auto industry will outdo those—all of which will take time. You'll find it hard to wait. But how easily you can give your present much-needed car a great opportunity to outlive the Axis.

First...now...shield your engine from acid. This unavoidable product of combustion was formerly rather safely expelled in regular driving, at normal speed and heat. But your semi-occasional, slow, short drives nowadays barely heat the engine. Chemists know that this invites strongest acid attacks, yet engines OIL-PLATED by Conoco Nth motor oil have proved able to resist remarkably, and you can see why.

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Pfc. Clifford Solomon, who is in service in North Carolina, is here on furlough.

Mrs. Gaston Sanders is in Houston this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Nabors.

"Aunt Betty" Hogan of Comanche and daughter, Mrs. Carrie Patton of New Mexico visited relatives here this week.

Little Martha Sue Laughlin has gone to Fisher County for a visit.

Mrs. Alma Hatton has gone to Beaumont to visit her sons, Newman and Leslie Hatton.

Mrs. Emert, who has been ill for six weeks, is reported no better.

Pfc. Earl Bingham, who is stationed in North Carolina, is here on a furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Auvenshine, Mrs. A. Pat Sharp has returned from a four weeks visit in Tyler, Lindale and Cleburne.

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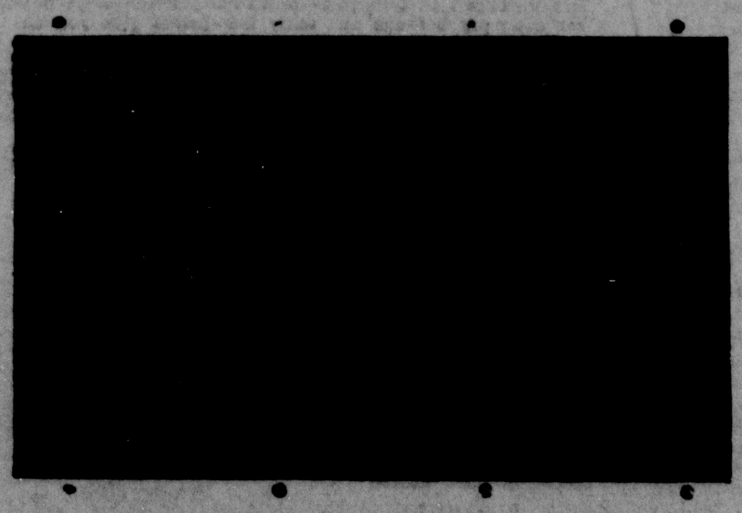
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T. H. HART, President — BROWNWOOD, TEXAS — ALTA M. GRAIG, Registrar

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wharton and Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Carmichael visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dabney Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hayes and son spent Sunday with J. R. Hayes and family of Pottsville.

Mrs. W. D. Hewett is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Amon Morgan at Gustine.

Mr. and Mrs. Baylor McPherson of Star spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl McPherson.

Mrs. Other Kemp has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bobbie Lee and family at Goose Creek.

Peggy, Billy and Charles Cox of Pottsville spent last week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McPherson.

Ross Middleton of Gustine spent last week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rudd spent last Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Magness and family at Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Boydston and children of Fort Worth spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Boydston.

Miss Guyla Dean Rudd spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Magness and family of Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caraway and family of Dublin and Oran Jones and boys of Pottsville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Caraway and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Knight and children of Goldthwaite spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell McGlothlin.

Mrs. Dick Moore and son and Miss Dixie Baskin of Port Arthur spent part of last week with relatives here.

Mrs. Barton McPherson and children of Johnson City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bart McPherson.

Miss Oleta Caraway of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caraway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Magness of Karnack and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Odell and son of Comanche spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Middleton and family.

Mrs. Ruby A. Welch and sons, Dean and Grandle and daughter, Dowlene, have returned to their home at Beattie after a 3 weeks visit in Fort Worth and Denton.

Mrs. F. B. Holland of Mission is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Layne this week.

Mrs. L. T. Shook of Dallas is spending a couple of weeks with her mother, Mrs. J. B. Layne who is not well.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Brymer and Lloyd Gene of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burt. Their daughters, Virginia and Barbara returned home with them after a five weeks visit.

Mrs. Chas. Carter and Donald Ray and Gary have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Burt and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Norrid have moved to Borger where he has employment.

Lucille Williams of Dallas visited her mother, Mrs. Charlie Williams in Comanche this week. Miss Williams had just returned from a visit with relatives in McFarland, and other cities in California.

Warren Vineyard who has been at Camp White in Oregon recently received an honorable discharge from the Army because of his physical condition and is back in Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hooper of Grand Prairie are here this week visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Hooper. Mrs. Hooper is a teacher in the Grand Prairie Schools and just last week received her degree from the East Texas State Teachers College at Commerce.

Mrs. J. V. Carter, Sr. and Mrs. Finis Clark are in Nocona with Mrs. Carter's daughter, Mrs. Cherry, who is ill.

Horton Williams and family of California are expected in this week to visit relatives here.

Miss Vione Martin of Fort Worth spent the week-end in Comanche with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gibson and daughter, Mary Dena and son, Jim Bob, of Lubbock spent the week-end in Comanche with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cox, and were accompanied home for a visit by Miss Dena Lou Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker went to Denton the latter part of last week for their son, George F., who has just completed the high school course in North Texas State Teachers College Training School. Young Walker will return to Denton September 14 where he will enter the college department.

E. L. Pierson, Calvin Holcomb, Troy Pettit and Mr. Holcomb's father-in-law of West Texas spent the week-end fishing at Buchanan Dam.

Mrs. Virgil Chaffin who has been with her husband at Salt Lake City, is expected to arrive in Comanche this week to be ready for the opening of school here where she is one of the teachers.

Sgt. Kenneth Finklestine of the Waco Flying School is here on a furlough to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Finklestine.

Mrs. S. E. Newton is visiting her daughter in Waco.

Mrs. Mozelle Reicher, Home Management Supervisor for the FSA here, has been transferred to a similar place in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Chambers of Comanche and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cagle of Stag Creek left this week for a visit in San Diego, California.

Mrs. E. R. Armstrong and son, Richard, were Waco and Fort Worth visitors over the week-end.

Mrs. George W. Tate and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, have returned from an extended trip to Wichita Falls and New Mexico; spending most of their time at a dude ranch at Red River, New Mexico, high up in the mountains. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ray Keith and son, George Rap; and Ben Gould and Paul Bennett of Wichita Falls.

William Black of Marfa was called here last week on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. George B. Black.

HAROLD M. PRATER NOW A SERGEANT AT HONDO CENTER

Harold M. Prater, formerly of Comanche, has recently been promoted to the rank of sergeant at the Hondo Navigation Center. He has been in the Army since last December, and has been stationed in Hondo since the first of the year.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Prater of Monument, New Mexico, and formerly of Comanche. He is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Swearengin, Comanche.

Fred Mears of Mt. Vernon, Missouri, spent the week-end in Comanche with his mother, Mrs. Fannie Moore and family.

George Odell of Muskogee and John Ezell of Eufaula, Oklahoma are visiting friends and relatives in Comanche and Gustine.

Miss Mary Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davenport of Comanche, is spending her vacation in Amarillo, visiting her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davenport.

Mrs. Arthur A. Daniels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davenport, is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. T. B. Daniels in Gonzales. Mrs. Arthur A. Daniels' husband is in North Africa.

Miss Juanita Barrett of Fort Worth spent the week-end in Comanche with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Barrett, going on from here to New Orleans to visit her brother, BM1/c Weldon Barrett, U.S. Coast Guard.

Jimmie Tucker and family spent the week-end in Waco.

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Rev. A. J. Helms and family of Carlton, former pastor of this circuit, attended church here Wednesday night.

Mrs. Dalton Perkins left Sunday afternoon for Soda Springs where her school opened Monday, August 16th.

Nellie and Bartow Jones have moved to Soda Springs where she will teach school.

The revival meeting closed here Sunday night with 3 additions to church. Visitors attended from Comanche, Carlton, Hasse, Board Church and Harmony.

Miss Iris Langley spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Langley and son.

Sunday School is held here each Sunday at 10:30 o'clock.

Among the men from this community who are in the armed forces, and on foreign duty, are Nolan G. Langley, stationed in Alaska; Howard Cleere, stationed in Australia, and Norman Zschiesche and Johnnie Livingston, stationed in England.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for all their kindness during the illness and death of our husband and brother, H. C. Bumgarner. The floral offering was deeply appreciated. We especially wish to thank Porter Franks for his kindness.—Mrs. H. C. Bumgarner and his brothers and sister.

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[illegible] Clovis, N. M.

Miss Nova Williford Weds Lt. Crumley Here August 10

Miss Nova Williford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williford of Comanche, and Lt. Clifton Crumley of Salt Gap, Brown County, were married Tuesday, August 10. Rev. Gordon Barrett officiated at the ceremony, which took place at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Lenora Jo Young of Comanche attended the couple as maid of honor.

Mrs. Crumley is a graduate of Comanche High School, class of 1940, and for some time has been employed by the Hotel Brownwood Beatuy Shop.

Lt. Crumley of the United States Air Corps, won his wings from the La Junta Air Base in La Junta, Colorado, and is now stationed at an Army Air Base in Orlando, Florida.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Crumley and Verba Crumley, Salt Gap; Mrs. C. R. McKinzie, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Grooms, Jessie Ramsey, Fannie Ramsey, Kathleen McClelland, Frances Williford, Mrs. Ann Modigal and Mrs. Shirley Dickerman, all of Brownwood; and Mr. and Mrs. Fenley Williford, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Williford, and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Williford, Comanche.

The couple left after the ceremony for the Orlando Air Base, where Lt. Crumley is stationed, and where they will make their home.

[illegible] in Action

Mrs. Clara Boswell of De Leon last week received word from the War Department that her son, Joe Edward Boswell is missing in action. He is believed to have taken part in a bombing expedition in the Balkan oil fields in Rumania, according to a letter received by his mother and dated on the day before he was reported as missing.

Young Boswell was a crew chief at Kelly Field, San Antonio, when he received his appointment as an aviation cadet. He received his wings in California. Flight Officer Boswell has two brothers in the Armed Forces.

The letter received by his mother written the day before he made his fateful mission is as follows:

My Darling Mother and Family:

To start with I want to say I hope you never have this letter mailed to you because if it is it'll mean I have gone before you. Yes, I am writing this as a last letter just in case anything goes wrong tomorrow (Sunday, Aug. 1, 1943).

We are going on a mission tomorrow that will have much to do with bringing this war to a close than anything else so far if it is a success, and it will be a success. You just can't stop us Americans once we make up our minds to do a thing.

I won't say where we are going for several reasons but you can read the papers and find out where we bombed on August 1, 1943. The headlines should be full.

I just wanted all of you to know how very proud I am of you and I consider it an honor by being a brother to such a wonderful family and a son to such a dear mother. You have always been the best to me in everything and I appreciate it from the bottom of my heart. I am not afraid of the job that is ahead of me nor have I any fear if the worst is to happen. You can't fight a war without someone getting hurt and I am no more than my buddies that fly next to me. If it takes my life to make this a free world then I am ready—because there is nothiing so dear as freedom. Remember that is what boys all over the world are dying for every day.

I did have a lot thought up to say but I just can't seem to write this afternoon for some reason or another.

Oh yes, drop Eunice and Jane a line so they will know why my letters have stopped.

I have read the 91st Psalm and it helps no end.

Try not to grieve over me as that isn't the way I want it. I have had a good life and a lot of fun so I don't have any regrets. Always remember me in your prayers and if it's the Lord's will I'll be waiting for you in that Heavenly City.

Be sweet and never let up in this fight for freedom until there is freedom for ever more.

All my love and best wishes to each of you.

Your son and brother,
JOE E. BOSWELL.

[illegible] services were held at the First Methodist Church in Comanche Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Rev. Leslie Boone, her pastor at the First Methodist Church of Brownwood, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. R. B. Hooper, pastor of the local Methodist Church, and Rev. J. D. Smoot, Methodist minister. Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery here.

Pall bearers were Robert Eaton, Troy Marshall, L. P. Elkins, J. B. Bynes, C. A. Greene, and W. B. Barrett.

Mrs. Frost, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dunn of Comanche, was born November 21, 1896 in Springfield, Louisiana. The family moved to Comanche County when she was a child, settling in the Briar Grove community, later miving to Comanche where she attended high school. Soon after reaching young womanhood she was married to Clay E. Frost, who for many years was connected with the Comanche County Abstract Company here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost left here about nine years ago, living at Waco and Dallas before moving to Brownwood three years ago where he is connected with the Brown County Abstract Company.

Mrs. Frost was converted in early life and united with the Methodist Church in which she was an active worker until her illness.

The survivors include her husband; parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dunn of Comanche; a son, C. E. Frost, Jr., of Tulsa, Okla., a daughter, Mrs. Modine Posey of Freeport; a grandson, Jonathan Posey; three sisters, Nobia Dunn, Cleo Dunn and Mrs. Dovie Froh of Comanche; a brother, Guy Dunn, Hamilton.

Pvt. and Mrs. J. T. Ferguson of Camp Hood, Killeen, spent the first of this week in Comanche with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gore.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for all the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, W. D. Walker. It makes our burdens easier to bear to know we have such friends. We also want to thank each and every one of you for the nice dishes of food and the beautiful flowers. We thank Porter Franks for his kindness, also Dr. Charley Gray. May God's richest blessings rest upon each of you is our earnest prayer.—Mrs. W. D. Walker and children.

Bart Johnson was taken to a Gorman hospital for treatment Monday.

Rev. Gordon Barrett, of Higginbothams Grocery Department, is on his vacation this week.

Comanche County Farmers Asked To Plant More Wheat

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